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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
TATSUYA KISHI ET AL :
SERIAL NO: NEW DIV. APPLICATION :
FILED: HERewith :
FOR: MAGNETORESISTANCE EFFECT :
DEVICE, METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME,
MAGNETIC MEMORY
APPARATUS, PERSONAL DIGITAL
ASSISTANCE, AND MAGNETIC
REPRODUCING HEAD, AND
MAGNETIC INFORMATION
REPRODUCING APPARATUS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits please amend the above-identified divisional application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.